*Night* and *The Book Thief* Test *47 Total Pts*

Multiple Choice: Choose the best answer by circling the letter. *5 points total*

1. On what day did Elie and his family have to evacuate?
2. Yom Kippur, the Day of Atonement
3. Rosh Hashanah, the Jewish New Year
4. The first day of Passover
5. The Sabbath, the day of rest
6. What is the significance of Madame Schäcter screaming on the train?
7. Symbolism
8. Metaphor
9. Foreshadowing
10. Allusion
11. What is Elie’s “inheritance” from his father?
12. Gold
13. Spoon and knife
14. Clothes
15. Picture of his family
16. How does Elie feel when his father dies?
17. Relief
18. Hatred
19. Guilt
20. Sorrow
21. *Night* is an example of what kind of book?
22. Fictional prose
23. A biography
24. A memoir
25. Non-Fiction story

Matching: Choose the best answer and write the letter on the line. *10 points total*

1. To kill in large numbers
2. False belief or opinion
3. The state-sponsored systematic persecution of European Jewry by Nazi Germany and its collaborators between 1933 and 1945.
4. Certain people are forced to work here until their death
5. Short story about an event
6. Extreme poverty
7. An uncontrollable outburst of emotion or fear
8. A system of contemplative prayer and spirituality aimed at achieving direct intuitive experience of the divine
9. To suggest or imply
10. Supreme or outstanding

A. Holocaust **3** B. Delusion **2**  C. Annihilate **1**

D. Anecdote **5** E. Concentration Camp **4**

F. Hysteria **7** G. Mysticism **8** H. Penury **6**

I. Sublime **10** J. Insinuate **9**

Short Answer: Give a brief 1-2 sentence description for each of the following characters: *12 points total*

1. Elie Wiesel- Narrator, main character, Jewish goes through concentration camps and survives.

2. Shlomo- Elie’s father who eventually dies at the end and leans on Elie for survival. Helps Elie survive himself.

3. Dr. Josef Mengele- Doctor at the concentration camps who is notorious for his ways and hatred of the Jewish. Decider of who lives and who dies.

4. Liesel Meminger- - Main character, adopted by a German couple. Steals the books from the fires to learn how to read better.

5. Max Vandenburg- Jewish man who is being kept safe in the Hubermann household. Becomes friends with Liesel.

6. Hans Hubermann- Liesel’s adopted father, adores her. Full of life and is against the Germans although has to pretend not to be.

Essay Questions: Answer the following questions in 8-10 sentences. Be sure to try to give examples. *20 points total*

1. What do you think the overall theme is for *Night*? Why?

Answers may vary. Students decide which one and describe why they feel that way. Love may include how Elie fought for his father to survive. Injustice may include how the Jews were treated during this time. Survival may include how Elie wanted to survive for multiple reasons and did different things to survive.

1. Write a comparison of *Night* and *The Book Thief*. Think of common themes and struggles. Try to support with specific occurences from the book and movie.

Answers may vary. Some comparisons may be that they take place during WWII. Both deal with the injustices of the Jewish people. Both have survival in them. Both have to take care of someone that risks their survival at points. Students will have various reasons for backing up.